

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Monday, June 8, 2015.

Met according to adjournment, at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Ms. Peake of Provincetown in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

At the request of the Chair (Ms. Peake), the members, guests and employees joined with her in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Message from the Governor.

A message from His Excellency the Governor recommending legislation relative to establishing a state workforce development board (House, No. 3570), was filed in the office of the Clerk on Friday, June 5.

The message was read; and it was referred, under Rule 30, with the accompanying draft of a bill, to the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules:

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Garlick of Needham) congratulating Michael Savrin on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Representatives Gentile of Sudbury and Peisch of Wellesley) congratulating the town of Wayland upon being named a Purple Heart Community by the Massachusetts Chapter of the Military Order of the Purple Heart;

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Hogan of Stow) congratulating Matthew E. Glauner on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Hogan of Stow) congratulating Thomas A. Taft on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Mirra of West Newbury) congratulating Michael Grant Anderson on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Mirra of West Newbury) congratulating Evan Timothy Jones on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Mirra of West Newbury) congratulating Harrison Gray Kent on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Naughton of Clinton) honoring Dr. Charles P. Conroy on his retirement from Perkins in Lancaster;

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Peisch of Wellesley) congratulating Richard S. McGhee, Jr., on his retirement from the World of Wellesley, Inc.; and

Pledge of
allegiance.

Workforce
development
board,—
establish.

Michael
Savrin.

Wayland,—
Purple Heart
Community.

Matthew E.
Glauner.

Thomas A.
Taft.

Michael
Anderson.

Evan
Jones.

Harrison
Kent.

Charles P.
Conroy.

Richard S.
McGhee, Jr.

Resolutions (filed by Representatives Sannicandro of Ashland and Dykema of Holliston) dedicating the Cheryl M. Rudolph Animal Care and Control Building;

Cheryl M.
Rudolph
Animal
Building.

Mr. Galvin of Canton, for the committee on Rules, reported, in each instance, that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, in each instance, on motion of Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Communication.

A communication from the Pioneer Valley Transit Authority (under Section 8(g) of Chapter 161B of the General Laws) submitting its annual report for the fiscal year 2014, was placed on file.

Pioneer Valley
Transit
Authority.

Annual and Monthly Reports.

The annual report of the Massachusetts Property and Casualty Insurance Company Community Investment Initiative (under Section 3(e) of Chapter 259 of the Acts of 1998) for the year 2014 [copies of said report forwarded to the House committee on Ways and Means and the committees on Financial Services and Revenue]; and

Property, etc.,
Insurance
Company
Investment
Initiative.

A monthly report of the Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development (under Section 14F of Chapter 151A of the General Laws) relative to the condition of the Commonwealth's Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund for May, 2015;

Unemployment
Insurance
Trust Fund,—
May, 2015.

Severally were placed on file.

Petitions.

Petitions severally were presented and referred as follows:

By Mr. DeCoste of Norwell, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of David F. DeCoste for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Steven Needle, an employee of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation.

Steven
Needle,—
sick leave.

By Mr. Miceli of Wilmington, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of James R. Miceli for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Valerie Loiacono Daley, an employee of the Trial Court.

Valerie
Daley,—
sick leave.

Severally, under Rule 24, to the committee on Rules.

Papers from the Senate.

A Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Denise Dellagrotte, an employee of the Trial Court (Senate, No. 1933) (on Senate bill No. 1923), passed to be engrossed by the Senate, was read; and it was referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Denise
Dellagrotte,—
sick leave.

Petitions were referred, in concurrence, as follows:

A petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1931) of Marc R. Pacheco and Susan Williams Gifford (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Wareham to grant an additional liquor license. To the committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

Wareham,—
liquor
license.

Shrewsbury,—
deputy fire
chief.

A petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1929) of Michael O. Moore and Hannah Kane (by vote of the town) for legislation to exempt the position of deputy fire chief in the town of Shrewsbury from the civil service law. To the committee on Public Service.

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Galvin of Canton, for the committee on Rules and the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the following petitions:

Teacher,—
benefits.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Gailanne M. Cariddi relative to retirement credit for teachers for out-of-state service; and

Phanarath
Siv,—
sick leave.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Tricia Farley-Bouvier and Benjamin B. Downing for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Phanarath Siv, an employee of the Department of Children and Families;

Severally to the committee on Public Service.

Propane,—
usage
fees.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of James M. Cantwell and Stephen L. DiNatale for legislation to further regulate propane sales and usage fees. To the committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, the reports were considered forthwith. Joint Rule 12 then was suspended, in each instance. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Innovative
communities
program.

By Mr. Kocot of Northampton, for the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2737) of Ann-Margaret Ferrante, Karen E. Spilka and Carmine L. Gentile for legislation to establish an innovative communities program within the Executive Office for Administration and Finance,— and recommending that the same be referred to the committee on Economic Development and Emerging Technologies.

Under Rule 42, the report was considered forthwith; and it was accepted. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Orders of the Day.

Malden,—
athletic field
commission.

The Senate amendment of the House Bill amending the composition of the Stadium and Athletic Field Commission in the city of Malden (House, No. 3194), reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, was adopted, in concurrence.

Order.

Next
sitting.

On motion of Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop,—
Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Thursday next at eleven o'clock A.M.

At eight minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mrs. Harrington of Groton (Ms. Peake of Provincetown being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Thursday at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session.